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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Charles

Village or City Pomfret (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME \_\_\_\_\_

04497  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 105

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

Adams

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) \_\_\_\_\_

6 DATE OF BIRTH April 7, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE \_\_\_\_\_ If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Charles Co

10 NAME OF FATHER Clyde Adams

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Charles Co

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Louise Winkler

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Charles Co

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address) \_\_\_\_\_

15 Filed April 7<sup>th</sup> 1931 Clara A. Green Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH April 7, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from April 7 1931 to \_\_\_\_\_, 1932

that I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 1932

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows: Born

dead

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.  
(Signed) Thos Lynch M. D.  
1932 (Address) Waldorf

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

St. Joseph Cemetery Pomfret Md April 8<sup>th</sup> 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

Louis Strickler Billingdale Md

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Menses; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Menses* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Come," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Traemia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as probably such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbonic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK--THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Charles

Village or City Hubert (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME James H. Brown

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX m 4 COLOR OR RACE B 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Single  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Jan 10 1909  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 22 yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds. If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work laborer  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Ind.

10 NAME OF FATHER James Brown

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Ind.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Anna Vincent

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Ind.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Ed. Goldbury Thomas

(Address) Hubert

15 Filed 4-11-1930 P. H. Hedges Registrar

04498

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 104

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH 4-10-1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from March 24 1931 to April 10 1931, that I last saw him prostrated only 4-5-1931, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 1:45 p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Tuberculosis of lungs  
Exhaustion

(Duration) 1 yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds.  
Contributory Secondary Tuberculosis

(Duration) 1 yrs. 3 mos. 3 ds.  
(Signed) P. H. Hedges M. D.  
4-11-1931 (Address) Dayville

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Shade Cemetery 4-12-1931

20 UNDERTAKER Geo. N. Shade ADDRESS Dayville

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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Charles

04499

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 100

Village or City near Welcome (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

Lion Brown

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

male

4 COLOR OR RACE

Colored

5 SINGLE,  
MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH

March 16<sup>th</sup>, 1930  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

1 yrs. ~~13~~ mos. 29 ds. or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

If LESS than

1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

none

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE  
(State or country)

Charles Co. Md

10 NAME OF  
FATHER

George F. Brown

11 BIRTHPLACE  
OF FATHER  
(State or country)

Charles Co. Md

12 MAIDEN NAME  
OF MOTHER

Rosa M. Lee

13 BIRTHPLACE  
OF MOTHER  
(State or country)

Charles Co. Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

George F. Brown

(Address)

Welcome

15 Filed

April 17<sup>th</sup> 1931William V. Posey  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

April 15<sup>th</sup>, 1931

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

192... to 192...

that I last saw him alive on 192...

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

no physician. Father description  
The baby had been delicate since birth  
probably the child had measles as there  
were other cases in the same house  
(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed)

William V. Posey

M. D.

April 17, 1931 (Address) LaPlata Md

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Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether  
Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients &amp; Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

on farm at home

DATE OF BURIAL

April 17, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

George F. Brown

ADDRESS

Welcome Md



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# STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 106

1 PLACE OF DEATH

County *Charles*Village or City *Indian Head* (No. \_\_\_\_\_, St.; \_\_\_\_\_ Ward)2 FULL NAME *Ellie Maud Cox*

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX *Female*4 COLOR OR RACE *White*5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word) *Widow*6 DATE OF BIRTH *Aug 29, 1882*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)7 AGE *75* yrs. *7* mos. *2* ds. or min. ?  
If LESS than 1 day.... hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work *Housewife*

(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country) *Maryland*10 NAME OF FATHER *Hilary Williams*

PARENTS

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country) *Maryland*12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER *Elizabeth Richardson*

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country) *Maryland*

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) *Emily Cox*(Address) *Indian Head*

15

Filed *April 25* 1931*29**Dunnington*

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH *April 5, 1931*  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from *March 23, 1931*, to *March 30, 1931*.that I last saw her alive on *March 30, 1931*, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at *12.00 A.M.*

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

*Cerebral Thrombosis*Contributory  
Secondary(Signed) *J. W. Mitchell* M.D.*April 5, 1931* (Address) *Indian Head*

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death .... yrs. .... mos. .... da. In the State, .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

*Pomonkey, Md.**Apr 7, 1931*

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

*Hunt & Lyon**Waldorf - Md.*

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

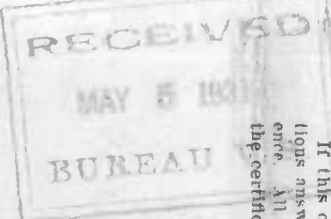
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1 PLACE OF DEATH County <u>Charles</u>			04501 (1248)			STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
Village or City <u>Nanjemoy</u> (No. _____)			St. _____ Ward _____			Registration Dist. No. <u>102</u>		
2 FULL NAME <u>Charles H. B. Dodd</u>			(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)					
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS								
3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Married</u>	16 DATE OF DEATH <u>Apr. 27, 1931</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)					
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>June 5, 1861</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)			17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 192 <u>8</u> to <u>Apr 31, 1931</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>Apr 21, 1931</u> , and that death occurred on the date stated above, at <u>1:40</u> m.					
7 AGE <u>69</u> yrs. <u>10</u> mos. <u>22</u> ds. or LESS than 1 day ____ hrs. 1 min.?			The CAUSE OF DEATH * was as follows: <u>Anuria</u> <u>Perforation of Liver,</u>					
OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>Farmer.</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)			Contributory Secondary (Duration) ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.					
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Virginia</u>			(Signed) <u>Chas. C. Bicknell</u> M. D. <u>Apr 27 1931</u> (Address) <u>Marlbury Md.</u>					
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Charles Dodd</u>			*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.					
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Virginia</u>			18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents) At place of death ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds. In the State ____ yrs. ____ mos. ____ ds.					
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Fanny Briscoe</u>			Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? _____					
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) <u>Virginia</u>			Former or usual residence _____					
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Mrs Charles Dodd</u> (Address) <u>Nanjemoy Md.</u>								
15 Filed <u>April 27 1931</u> <u>John Maddox</u> Registrar			19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Nanjemoy, Md.</u>			DATE OF BURIAL <u>Apr. 29, 1931</u>		
			20 UNDERTAKER <u>Hunt &amp; Ryan</u>			ADDRESS <u>Waldorf, Md.</u>		
If more blanks are needed, address State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Balto., Requesting V. S. No. 1.								

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicæmia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. FOR VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL, or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Revolver wound of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbonic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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1 PLACE OF DEATH County <u>Charles</u>			04562 107-2			STATE OF MARYLAND CERTIFICATE OF DEATH		
Village or City <u>Piquah</u> (No. _____)			St.: _____ Ward _____			(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)		
2 FULL NAME <u>Samuel Tyson</u>								
PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS								
3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>Black</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Single</u>	16 DATE OF DEATH <u>Apr 23</u> , 19 <u>31</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)					
6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>July 30</u> , 19 <u>30</u> (Month) (Day) (Year)			17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from _____ 19 <u>2</u> to _____ 19 <u>2</u> , that I last saw him alive on <u>Apr. 18</u> , 19 <u>3</u> , and that death occurred on the date stated above, at _____ m. The CAUSE OF DEATH* was as follows: <u>Pneumonia</u>					
7 AGE <u>8</u> yrs. <u>25</u> mos. <u>25</u> ds. or _____ min.?			18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents) At place of death _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds. In the State _____ yrs. _____ mos. _____ ds.					
8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work <u>at home</u> (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) _____			Contributory Secondary _____ (Signed) <u>Geo. C. Becknell</u> , M. D. <u>Apr. 24</u> , 19 <u>31</u> (Address) <u>Marbury Rd</u>					
9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) <u>Charles Co. Md.</u>			*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.					
10 NAME OF FATHER <u>Jas. Brown Jr.</u>			19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL <u>Piquah Md</u>					
11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) <u>Charles Co. Md.</u>			DATE OF BURIAL <u>Apr. 24</u> , 19 <u>31</u>					
12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER <u>Elysa Tyson</u>			20 UNDERTAKER <u>Jos Perry Indian Head Md.</u>					
13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) <u>Charles Co. Md.</u>								
14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE (Informant) <u>Mrs Mary F. Hunter</u> (Address) <u>Piquah, Md.</u>								
15 Filed <u>April 24</u> 19 <u>31</u> <u>W. A. Southland</u> Registrar								

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Frederick CharlesVillage or City Bryantown (No. \_\_\_\_\_)2 FULL NAME Bertha EdelenSTATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 108

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>Female</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>Col</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) <u>Married</u>
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6 DATE OF BIRTH <u>Aug 43</u> , 1892 (Month) (Day) (Year)
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7 AGE <u>39</u> yrs. <u>8</u> mos. <u>0</u> ds. or min.?	If LESS than 1 day.....hrs.
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8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work (b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)	<u>Wash woman</u> <u>Washing &amp; Ironing clothes</u>
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9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country)	<u>Chesapeake Bay</u>
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10 NAME OF FATHER	<u>Alfred Edelen</u>
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11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country)	<u>Chesapeake Bay</u>
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12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER	<u>Susan Wood</u>
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13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country)	<u>Chesapeake Bay</u>
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14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Harry C. Chappeler(Address) Hughesville, Md15 Filed 4/13 1931 Earl Chappeler  
Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH April 11, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Feb 1, 1931 to April 1, 1931.that I last saw him alive on April 1, 1931.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Paralysis

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
SecondaryHeart failure on brain

(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) Harry C. Chappeler M. D.April 12, 1931 (Address) Hughesville, Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Cause, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Bryantown MdApril 10, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Dr. & SonHughesville Md



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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 04504

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County CharlesVillage or City La Plata MdRegistration Dist. No. 100No. \_\_\_\_\_ St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_  
(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)Length of residence in city or town where death occurred \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. 8 mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. How long in U.S. if of foreign birth? \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

(a) Residence: No. \_\_\_\_\_

(Usual place of abode)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

## 3. SEX

Male

## 4. COLOR OR RACE

Colored5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)widowed5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE ofWidowed

## 6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

## 7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.  
or \_\_\_\_\_ min.798. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.Retired Farmer9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)192911. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation70

## 12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town).

(State or country)

Charles Co Md

FATHER

## 13. NAME

Richard Frederick

## 14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town).

(State or country)

Maryland

MOTHER

## 15. MAIDEN NAME

Grace Ann

## 16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town).

(State or country)

Maryland

## 17. INFORMANT

(Address)

Richard Frederick  
Bell Alton Md

## 18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

St. Thomas Cemetery

Date

April 15, 1931

## 19. UNDERTAKER

(Address)

C W Robt  
Bell Alton Md

## 20. FILED

Apr. 15, 1931

M D Hayden  
St. Registrar.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

April141931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

, 19\_\_\_\_, to

, 19\_\_\_\_.

I last saw h\_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_; death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of Importance  
were as follows:

Date of onset

Paralyzed

Other Contributory Causes of Importance:

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy? 40

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide? \_\_\_\_\_ Date of injury \_\_\_\_\_, 19\_\_\_\_

Where did injury occur? \_\_\_\_\_

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

M D Hayden D L R.  
Bell Alton Md

(Address)

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Precise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

## Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Date of onset

1915

July 5, 1927

May 1, 1923

Other contributory causes of importance:

Arteriosclerosis

Chronic interstitial nephritis

Cerebral hemorrhage

Gallstones

## Example II

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:

Date of onset

1 week ago

1 week ago

3 days ago

Other contributory causes of importance:

Attack of epilepsy

Run over by street car

Peritonitis

Gastroenteritis

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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County Charles

Village or City Pisgah (No. \_\_\_\_\_) St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

2 FULL NAME Isaac Gaynor

04595 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 101

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Black 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_, 1870? (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 60 yrs. mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. \_\_\_\_\_ or \_\_\_\_\_ min.?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Laborer.  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Charles Cr. Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER Unknown.

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) \_\_\_\_\_

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER \_\_\_\_\_

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) \_\_\_\_\_

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Nellie Gaynor  
(Address) Pisgah Md.

15 Filed April 16 1931 T. A. Southland Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Apr. 14, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_

that I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_ 192\_\_\_\_

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows: A.C. Alcoholism

(No physician in attendance)  
(Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) Geo. B. Bicknell M. D.  
Apr. 15 1931 (Address) Marbury Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, In (deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. In the State \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Ironside Md DATE OF BURIAL Apr. 16 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Joe Conny Indian Head ADDRESS \_\_\_\_\_

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningitis, peritoneum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc.,* . . . . . (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Muscles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles* (disease causing death, 29 ds.; *Shoppneumonia* (secondary), 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Ashtenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Hæmorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uræmia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL *septicaemia, Puerperal peritonitis,*" etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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MAY 6 1931  
BUREAU V. S.



MARGIN RESERVED FOR BINDING  
WRITE PLAINLY, WITH UNFADING INK—THIS IS A PERMANENT RECORD

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Chas

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STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 108

Village or City Malcolm (No. ....)

St. .... Ward) (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Godfrey Greenfield

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Col 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH 1/8/1931 1 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 2 yrs. 7 mos. 17 ds. or LESS than 1 day .... hrs. or .... min.?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Infant (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) 11

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) md

10 NAME OF FATHER Ed. Greenfield

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Lillian Moore

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Lillian Greenfield  
(Address) Malcolm, Md.

15 Filed 4/6/31 1921 Edw Chappelle Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH 4/5, 1931 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 4/5, 1931 to 4/5/31, 1931, that I last saw him alive on 4/5/31, 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 59 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows: Polar Pneumonia

Contributory Secondary (Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds. Liquor

(Signed) Ed Chappelle M. D. 4/6, 1931 (Address) Brightonville, Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from violent causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds. In the State .... yrs. .... mos. .... ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL St. Peters Ch DATE OF BURIAL 4/6, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER Ben Moore ADDRESS Malcolm Md

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MAY 5 1931  
BUREAU OF VITAL STATISTICS

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## STATE OF MARYLAND—CERTIFICATE OF DEATH 04507

## 1. PLACE OF DEATH

County

Charles

Village or City

Bel Alton Md

Registration Dist. No.

100

No.

St.

Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number)

Length of residence in city or town where death occurred

yrs.

mos.

2

ds.

How long in U.S. if of foreign birth?

yrs.

mos.

ds.

## 2. FULL NAME

Francis Raymond Hungerford

(a) Residence: No.

St.

Ward.

(Usual place of abode)

If nonresident give city or town and State

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3. SEX

Male

4. COLOR OR RACE

Colored

5. SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED (write the word)

Single

5a. If married, widowed, or divorced  
HUSBAND of  
(or) WIFE of

6. DATE OF BIRTH (month, day, and year)

Apr 22 1931

7. AGE

Years

Months

Days

If LESS than  
1 day, hrs.  
or min.

21

8. Trade, profession, or particular  
kind of work done, as SPINNER,  
SAWYER, BOOKKEEPER, etc.9. Industry or business in which  
work was done, as SILK MILL,  
SAW MILL, BANK, etc.10. Date deceased last worked at  
this occupation (month and  
year)11. Total time (years)  
spent in this  
occupation12. BIRTHPLACE (city or town).  
(State or country)

Bel Alton Md

FATHER  
MOTHER

13. NAME

Raymond Hungerford

14. BIRTHPLACE (city or town).  
(State or country)

Charles Co Md

15. MAIDEN NAME

Waneta Brown

16. BIRTHPLACE (city or town).  
(State or country)

Charles Co Md

17. INFORMANT  
(Address)

Raymond Hungerford

18. BURIAL, CREMATION, OR REMOVAL

Place

St Thomas Cemetery

Date

Apr 25 1931

19. UNDERTAKER  
(Address)Raymond Hungerford  
Bel Alton Md

20. FILED

Apr 24 1931 M. S. Hayden  
Regist.

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

## 21. DATE OF DEATH

April

24

1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

22. I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended deceased from

19

to

19

I last saw h. alive on

19

death is said

to have occurred on the date stated above, at 10 A. m.

The PRINCIPAL CAUSE OF DEATH and related causes of importance  
were as follows:

Malnutrition

Date of onset

Other Contributory Causes of importance:

Weak when born

Name of operation

Date of

What test confirmed diagnosis?

Was there an autopsy? No

23. If death was due to external causes (VIOLENCE) fill in also the following:

Accident, suicide, or homicide?

Date of injury

19

Where did injury occur?

(Specify city or town, county and State)

Specify whether injury occurred in INDUSTRY, in HOME, or in PUBLIC PLACE.

Manner of injury

Nature of injury

24. Was disease or injury in any way related to occupation of deceased?

If so, specify

(Signed)

(Address)

M. S. Hayden D L R  
Bel Alton Md.

M. D.

# UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Statement of occupation.—Reise statement of occupation is very important, so that the relative healthfulness of various pursuits can be known. Make some entry in this section for every person aged 10 years or over. If the deceased had retired from business, report the occupation prior to retirement. Children not gainfully employed may be returned as at school or at home. For a woman whose only occupation was that of home housework, write housewife in answer to Question 8 and own home in answer to Question 9. For a person engaged in domestic service for wages, however, designate the occupation by the appropriate terms, as servant—private family, cook—hotel, etc. For a person who had no occupation whatever write none.

To be complete, an occupation return must state:

- 8.—The trade, profession, or particular kind of work done.
- 9.—The industry or business in which the work was done.
- 10.—The month and year the deceased last worked at the occupation.
- 11.—The number of years the deceased followed the occupation.

In stating the occupation, avoid the use of such indefinite terms as "employee," "worker," "operative," etc. Find out the particular kind of work done and return that, as spinner, weaver, etc.

In stating the industry or business, avoid the use of such general terms as "store," "factory," "mill," etc. State the particular kind of store, factory, mill, etc., as grocery store, soap factory, cotton mill, etc.

Distinguish carefully the different kinds of engineers by stating the full descriptive titles, as civil engineer, mechanical engineer, mining engineer, stationary engineer, etc. Avoid the term "laborer" when a more precise statement of the occupation can be secured. Do not use the word "mechanic," but give the exact occupation, as carpenter, painter, machinist, etc. Distinguish carefully between retail merchants and wholesale merchants. A person who sells goods should be called a salesman and not a clerk.

Statement of cause of death.—Cause of death means the disease, injury, or complication which causes death, not the mode of dying, e. g., heart failure, asphyxia, asthma, etc. As principal cause name the disease or injury causing death. As related causes, name earlier morbid conditions, if any, related to the principal cause and any important complication of the principal cause. Under other contributory causes of importance, name other important diseases or injuries. Examples:

Example I

The principal cause of death and related causes of importance were as follows:		Date of onset	
Arteriosclerosis		1915	
Chronic interstitial nephritis		1921	
Cerebral hemorrhage		July 5, 1927	
Contributory causes of importance:		May 1, 1923	
Other contributory causes of importance:		Gastroenteritis	
1 year			

ADDITIONAL SPACE FOR FURTHER STATEMENTS BY PHYSICIAN

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County Charles04598 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATHRegistration Dist. No. 101Village or City Prigah (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Wesley Jones

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE Black 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)6 DATE OF BIRTH Unknown 1848  
(Month) (Day) (Year)7 AGE 83 yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds. \_\_\_\_\_ If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_\_ min.?8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Farm hand  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Charles Co. Md.10 NAME OF FATHER Unknown11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Unknown12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Unknown13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Unknown

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Thos. J. Rowe  
(Address) Indian Head Md.15 Filed April 12, 1931 T. A. Southland Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH April 12, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from \_\_\_\_\_ 192 \_\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_ 192 \_\_\_\_\_,

that I last saw him \_\_\_\_\_ alive on \_\_\_\_\_ 192 \_\_\_\_\_,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 7 A. m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

No Physician in attendance  
death probably due to  
Pneumonia (Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.Contributory  
Secondary \_\_\_\_\_(Signed) T. A. Southland, Md. Reg. M. D.  
April 12, 1931 (Address) Maryland

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death? \_\_\_\_\_

Former or usual residence \_\_\_\_\_

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Prigah, Md. April 14, 193120 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS  
G. Penny Mason's



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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County CHARLES(Enroute to Washington, D.C.) Registration Dist. No. 106Village or City Indian Head, Md. (No. \_\_\_\_\_) St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME Kentzing Pridget Krouse

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX <u>Male</u>	4 COLOR OR RACE <u>White</u>	5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED <u>Widower</u> (Write the word)
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6 DATE OF BIRTH

26 August, 1858  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE

72 yrs. 8 mos. 6 ds. or ? min. ?  
If LESS than 1 day....hrs.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Plate engraver(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) Ex-Government

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Washington, D.C.

10 NAME OF FATHER

Not known

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Not known

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Not known

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Not known

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Warren Charles Kentzing(Address) 1428 Irwins St. N.E.

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Filed

api. 6 1921 J.E. Dunnington  
CRD Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

April, 19231  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

20 March, 19231 to 5 April, 19231.that I last saw him alive on 5 April, 19231.and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 10:40p.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Broncho-pneumonia(Duration) ..... yrs. .... mos. .... 3 da.Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) ..... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

(Signed) Roger A. Anderson M.D.6 April, 19231 (Address) Naval Dispensary

\*State the Disease Causing Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death ..... yrs. .... mos. .... da. In the State, ..... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence.

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

SeymourApril - 8, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Frank J. Ryan1428 Irwins St. N.E.

all note from "Birmingham" 6/10/31, to change underletter name of date of burial  
min.

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CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

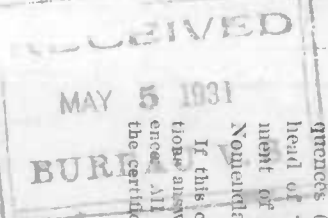
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1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Village or City

2 FULL NAME

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 100

St. Ward

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Colored 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Married

6 DATE OF BIRTH Sept 8 1905 1906 (Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 24 yrs. 7 mos. 9 ds. or LESS than 1 day hrs. min.?

8 OCCUPATION (a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife (b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Charles County, Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER James H. Queen

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER St. Mary's County, Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Emma Murray

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER Charles County, Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

(Address)

15 Filed Apr 18 1923 Dip Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH April 17 1923 (Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 192 to 192, that I last saw him alive on 192, and that death occurred on the date stated above, at

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Cause of Death - Gunshot wound in chest from shot gun in hands of Geo. H. Queen of John Sydney Green &amp; died instantly.

Contributory Secondary

(Signed) William J. Casey M.D. April 18 1923 (Address) La Plata, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients &amp; Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

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## PLACE OF DEATH

County

Ches

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

103

Village or City

Wilmington

(No. \_\_\_\_\_)

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

Lester

Maddalena

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Male

4 COLOR OR RACE

Cib

5 SINGLE,

MARRIED,  
WIDOWED,  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH

1881

(Month)

(Day)

1 (Year)

7 AGE

about

If LESS than

1 day hrs.

yrs. 3

mos.

ds.

or min.?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Ches, Co.

10 NAME OF FATHER

Frank Maddalena

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Ches, Co.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Cathia Maddalena

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or Country)

Ches Co.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Briscoe Maddalena

(Address)

Wilmington

15 Filed

Apr 9 1931 C.W. Roby

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

Apr 8, 1931

(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

Apr 4, 1931 to Apr 8, 1931

that I last saw him alive on Apr 8, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 8:20 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Bronchitis

Contributory  
Secondary

(Signed) M. D.

(Address)

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

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At place of death yrs. mos. ds.

In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

Shiloh Cemetery  
Wayside Rd

DATE OF BURIAL

Apr 9, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

Briscoe Meredith Acton

ADDRESS

Newberg

If more blanks are needed, address a State Registrar, 16 W. Saratoga St., Balto., Requesting V. S. No. 1.

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BUREAU V. S.

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Charles

Village or City Chicamuxin (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME Rosa Milstead

04512  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 161

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE Black 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH \_\_\_\_\_ 1865  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE About 66 yrs. mos. ds. or min.?  
IF LESS than 1 day. hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Charles Co. Md.

10 NAME OF FATHER James Wallace

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Charles Co. Md.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Unknown Mudd

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Charles Co. Md.

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Rosa Milstead

(Address) Chicamuxin Md.

15 Filed April 26 1931 W. A. Taylor Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Apr. 20 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Oct 1930 to Apr 31 1931

that I last saw him alive on Apr. 17 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 11:30 m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH\* was as follows: Diabetic Mellitus

Contributory Secondary (Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Geo. C. Bicknell M. D. Apr. 20 1931 (Address) Maryland

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. in the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL DATE OF BURIAL

Chicamuxin Md. Apr 22 1931

20 UNDERTAKER ADDRESS

Joe. Perry Jackson Had Md.

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## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Charles

Village or City

Billingsley

(No. ....)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No.

105

[If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.]

## 2 FULL NAME

Jeremiah Norris

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

male

4 COLOR OR RACE

white

5 SINGLE

MARRIED,  
WIDOWED  
OR DIVORCED  
(Write the word)

married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

March 6, 1859

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

72 yrs. 1 mos. 16 ds.

If LESS than

1 day, hrs.

OR min. ?

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Farmer

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed (or employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Maryland

PARENTS

10 NAME OF FATHER

Andrew Jackson Norris

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Elizabeth C. Hunt

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) ✓

(Address)

15

Filed

April 24<sup>th</sup> 1931

Clara A. Green

Dyke

REGISTRAR

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

April 22, 1931

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17

I HEREBY CERTIFY That I attended deceased from

April 12, 1931, to April 22, 1931,

that I last saw him alive on April 22, 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:50 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Cerebral Hemorrhage.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Chronic Arteriosclerosis

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Signed

James E. Nolan

April 23, 1931

(Address)

La Plata Md

\*State the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH, or, in deaths from VIOLENT CAUSES, state (1) MEANS OF INJURY; and (2) whether ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (FOR HOSPITALS INSTITUTIONS, TRANSIENTS OR RECENT RESIDENTS)

At place

of death

yrs.

mos.

ds.

in the

State

yrs.

mos.

ds.

Where was disease contracted

if not at place of death?

Former or

usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

St. Joseph's Cemetery Pongat Md.

April 24<sup>th</sup> 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Hunt and Byon

Haldorf Md.



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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Charles

Village or City LaPlata (No. \_\_\_\_\_) St.: \_\_\_\_\_ Ward) \_\_\_\_\_

2 FULL NAME Still born Oliver

04514 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 100

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX male 4 COLOR OR RACE white 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH April 18, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE Still born If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_ hrs. \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds. or \_\_\_\_ min.?

OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) \_\_\_\_\_

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country)

Charles Co md

10 NAME OF FATHER

Samuel M. Oliver

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Chas. Co md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Mamie J. Shoemaker

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Chas. Co md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Mamie J. Shoemaker

(Address)

LaPlata md

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April 18, 1931

Gillian O'Pany

Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

April 18, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_ to \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_.

that I last saw him alive on \_\_\_\_\_, 192\_\_\_\_.

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at \_\_\_\_\_ m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Still born

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) J. P. Hegdon M. D.

April 18, 1931 (Address) Wayside md

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, Recent Residents)

At place of death \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

In the State \_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_ ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

At home, in LaPlata

April 18, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

acting Samuel Oliver

LaPlata md

# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

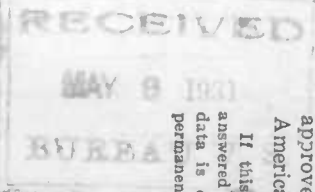
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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Charles

Village or City Highsville (No. \_\_\_\_\_)

2 FULL NAME Mary Alice Robey

04515  
STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 108

St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_ (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED Married  
(Write the word)

6 DATE OF BIRTH Feb 1, 1857  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 74 yrs. 2 mos. da. or min. ? If LESS than 1 day \_\_\_\_\_ hrs.

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work Housewife  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer) assisting daughter

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Chesapeake

10 NAME OF FATHER Asford Robey

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Chesapeake

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Mary E. Monroe

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Chesapeake

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Alexis Robey

(Address) Highsville Md

15 Filed 4/9/31 192 E. C. Chaffee  
Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Apr 8, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Apr 7 1931 to Apr 8 1931, that I last saw him alive on Apr 8 1931,

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 9:15 P. M.  
The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Acute Peritonitis

Contributory Acute Degeneration  
Secondary (Duration) \_\_\_\_\_ yrs. \_\_\_\_\_ mos. \_\_\_\_\_ ds.

(Signed) Harry E. Chaffee M. D.  
Apr 9, 1931 (Address) Highsville Md

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Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence:

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Pring Cemetery

Apr 10, 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Davis & Quade

Highsville Md

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County Charles

Village or City Doncaster (No. \_\_\_\_\_) St. \_\_\_\_\_ Ward \_\_\_\_\_

2 FULL NAME Skinner (Still born)

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 102

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Female 4 COLOR OR RACE White 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single  
6 DATE OF BIRTH April 7, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)  
7 AGE 2 If LESS than 1 day....hrs. ....yrs.....mos.....ds. or min. ?

8 OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work None  
(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer).....

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Maryland

10 NAME OF FATHER George L. Skinner

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Maryland

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Hazel M. Scott

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or country) Maryland

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) George L. Skinner

(Address) Doncaster Md

15 Filed April 7, 1931 John J. Muddert Registrar

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH April 7, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from 192... to 192... that I last saw him alive on 192... and that death occurred on the date stated above, at...

18 CAUSE OF DEATH It was as follows:  
Premature birth  
There was no physician in attendance  
(Duration) ....yrs.....mos.....da.

Contributory Secondary (Duration) ....yrs.....mos.....da.

(Sign) John J. Muddert Deputy Registrar M.D.  
April 7, 1931 (Address) Doncaster Md

\*State the Disease Causing Death or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury; and (2) whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death ....yrs.....mos.....da. In the State, ....yrs.....mos.....da.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?.....

Former or usual residence.....

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL Cross Roads Md

20 DATE OF BURIAL April 8, 1931

21 UNDERTAKER Frank Skinner Doncaster Md

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1 PLACE OF DEATH  
County Charles.

Village or City Cross Roads, Mo.

2 FULL NAME Joseph Andrew Washington

PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX Male 4 COLOR OR RACE Black 5 SINGLE, MARRIED, WIDOWED, OR DIVORCED (Write the word) Single

6 DATE OF BIRTH July 17, 1929  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

7 AGE 1 yrs. 89 mos. 24 ds. or min.?  
If LESS than 1 day hrs.

OCCUPATION  
(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work at home  
(b) General nature of industry, business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE (State or country) Washington D.C.

10 NAME OF FATHER Clarence Washington

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER (State or country) Washington, D.C.

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER Alveta Small

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER (State or Country) Charles Co. Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant) Ida Pryor

(Address) Cross Roads, Md.

15 Filed Apr 12 1931 J. V. Thompson Registrar

04518 STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 102

St. Ward (If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH Apr. 11, 1931  
(Month) (Day) (Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from Apr 8, 1931 to Apr 8, 1931

that I last saw him alive on Apr. 8, 1931

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 5 a.m.

The CAUSE OF DEATH \* was as follows:

Pneumonia

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

Contributory  
Secondary

(Duration) yrs. mos. ds.

(Signed) Geo. C. Beckwith M. D.

Apr 11, 1931 (Address) Marbury, Md.

\*State the Disease Causing Death, or, in deaths from Violent Causes, state (1) Means of Injury and (2) Whether Accidental, Suicidal or Homicidal.

18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients or Recent Residents)

At place of death yrs. mos. ds. In the State yrs. mos. ds.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

Cross Roads, Md. Apr 12 1931

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Ida Pryor Cross Roads, Md.



# REVISED UNITED STATES STANDARD CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

(Approved by U. S. Census and American Public  
Health Association.)

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**Statement of Cause of Death**—Name, first, the DISEASE CAUSING DEATH (the primary affection with respect to time and causation), using always the same accepted term for the same disease. Examples: *Cerebrospinal fever* (the only definite synonym is "Epidemic cerebrospinal meningitis"); *Diphtheria* (avoid use of "Croup"); *Typhoid fever* (never report "Typhoid Pneumonia"); *Lobar pneumonia, Bronchopneumonia* ("Pneumonia,"

unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningis, peritonaeum, etc., Carcinoma, Sarcoma, etc., of . . . . .* (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Measles; Whooping cough; Chronic valvular heart disease; Chronic interstitial nephritis, etc.* The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Measles (disease causing death), 29 ds.; Bronchopneumonia (secondary), 10 ds.* Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Exhaustion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Hemiplegia," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Trauma," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PUERPERAL septicaemia," "PUERPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, SUICIDAL or HOMICIDAL, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning; Struck by railway train—accident; Revolver wound of head—homicide; Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide.* The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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Every item of information should be carefully supplied. AGE should be stated EXACTLY, PHYSICIANS should state CAUSE OF DEATH in plain terms so that it may be properly classified. Exact statement of OCCUPATION is very important. See instructions on back of certificate.

## 1 PLACE OF DEATH

County

Charles

04519

STATE OF MARYLAND  
CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

Registration Dist. No. 105

Village or City

Waldorf

(No.)

St.

Ward)

(If death occurred in a hospital or institution, give its NAME instead of street and number.)

2 FULL NAME

E. Mandarile Williams

## PERSONAL AND STATISTICAL PARTICULARS

3 SEX

Male

4 COLOR OR RACE

W

5 SINGLE,

MARRIED,

WIDOWED

OR DIVORCED

(Write the word)

married

6 DATE OF BIRTH

Sept 9, 1869

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

7 AGE

62 yrs. 2 mos. 11 ds. or min. ?

If LESS than  
1 day....hra.

8 OCCUPATION

(a) Trade, profession or particular kind of work

Carpenter

(b) General nature of industry business, or establishment in which employed or (employer)

9 BIRTHPLACE

(State or country)

Md

PARENTS

10 NAME OF FATHER

Lem Williams

11 BIRTHPLACE OF FATHER

(State or country)

Md

12 MAIDEN NAME OF MOTHER

Elizabeth Pickeral

13 BIRTHPLACE OF MOTHER

(State or country)

Md

14 THE ABOVE IS TRUE TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE

(Informant)

Mrs Susie Williams

(Address)

Waldorf Md

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Filed

Apr 21 1923 M. L. Mourie

Registrar

## MEDICAL CERTIFICATE OF DEATH

16 DATE OF DEATH

April 20, 1923

(Month)

(Day)

(Year)

17 I HEREBY CERTIFY, That I attended the deceased from

April 20, 1923, to April 20, 1923

that I last saw him alive on April 20, 1923

and that death occurred on the date stated above, at 4 P.M.

The CAUSE OF DEATH was as follows:

Cerebral Hemorrhage

(Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

Contributory

Secondary

Acute ascending

Paralysis (Duration) .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

(Signed)

E. D. Mourie M.D.

Apr 21 1923 (Address) Waldorf

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18 LENGTH OF RESIDENCE (For Hospitals, Institutions, Transients, or Recent Residents)

At place of death .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

In the

State, .... yrs. .... mos. .... da.

Where was disease contracted, if not at place of death?

Former or usual residence

19 PLACE OF BURIAL OR REMOVAL

DATE OF BURIAL

St Pauls

April 21, 1923

20 UNDERTAKER

ADDRESS

Hunt &amp; Ryan

Waldorf Md

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unqualified, is indefinite); *Tuberculosis of lungs, meningis, peritonaeum*, etc., *Carcinoma, Sarcoma*, etc., of ..... (name origin; "Cancer" is less definite; avoid use of "Tumor" for malignant neoplasms); *Mecles*; *Whooping cough*; *Chronic valvular heart disease*; *Chronic interstitial nephritis*, etc. The contributory (secondary or intercurrent) affection need not be stated unless important. Example: *Mecles* (disease causing death), 29 ds.; *Bronchopneumonia* (secondary, 10 ds. Never report mere symptoms or terminal conditions, such as "Asthenia," "Anaemia" (merely symptomatic), "Atrophy," "Collapse," "Coma," "Convulsions," "Debility" ("Congenital," "Senile," etc.), "Dropsy," "Echausion," "Heart failure," "Haemorrhage," "Inanition," "Marasmus," "Old Age," "Shock," "Uremia," "Weakness," etc., when a definite disease can be ascertained as the cause. Always qualify all diseases resulting from childbirth or miscarriage as "PERIPERAL, septicæmia," "PERIPERAL peritonitis," etc. State cause for which surgical operation was undertaken. For VIOLENT DEATHS state MEANS OF INJURY and qualify as ACCIDENTAL, suicidal, or homicidal, or as *probably* such, if impossible to determine definitely. Examples: *Accidental drowning*; *Struck by railway train—accident*; *Reverber round of head—homicide*; *Poisoned by carbolic acid—probably suicide*. The nature of the injury, as fracture of skull, and consequences (e. g., *sepsis, tetanus*) may be stated under the head of "contributory." (Recommendations on statement of cause of death approved by Committee on Nomenclature of the American Medical Association.)

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